Memorandum

CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS CTC Meeting: May 25-26, 2005 To:

Reference No.: 2.2c.(5)

Action Item

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Division Chief

Environmental Analysis

APPROVAL OF PROJECT FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION OF FUNDING, Ref: 08-SBd-15, KP 12.0 (PM 7.4) **RESOLUTION E-05-11**

ISSUE:

The attached resolution proposes to approve for future consideration of funding the following project for which a Negative Declaration has been completed:

Route 15 in San Bernardino County - Transportation Management Center and Park and Ride Lot in Fontana

The project is funded in the 2004 State Highway Operation and Protection Program for project development and construction for \$30,196,000. The project is not fully funded. The total estimated project cost is \$37,000,000. San Bernardino Association of Governments (SANBAG) and Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) will fund the remaining dollars from Congestion Mitigation Air Quality funds, Regional Surface Transportation Program funds or possibly Regional Improvement Program funds. Department is working closely with SANBAG and RCTC, and all parties are committed to fund and deliver the project. Construction is scheduled for Fiscal Year 2006-07.

A copy of the Negative Declaration has been provided to California Transportation Commission (Commission) staff. The Department of Transportation (Department) has approved the project for construction. This approval and the filing of the Notice of Determination with the Office of Planning and Research will satisfy the environmental requirements for this stage of the project planning process.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Department recommends that the Commission, as a responsible agency, approve the attached Resolution E-05-11.

Attachments

CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Resolution for Future Consideration of Funding 08-SBd-15, KP 12.0 (PM 7.4)

Resolution E-05-11

- **1.1 WHEREAS,** the California Department of Transportation (Department) has completed a Negative Declaration pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines for the following project:
 - Route 15 in San Bernardino County Transportation Management Center and Park and Ride Lot in Fontana.
- **1.2 WHEREAS**, the Department has certified that the Negative Declaration has been completed pursuant to CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines for its implementation; and
- **1.3 WHEREAS**, the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, has considered the information contained in the Negative Declaration; and
- 1.4 WHEREAS, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- **2.1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the California Transportation Commission does hereby approve the above referenced project to allow for future consideration of funding.

